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September 20, 2012

Re: Response to Supplemental 104(e) Information Request for John Bully Mine

Dear Mr. Capuyan:

Please find enclosed ConocoPhillips Company's responses to your agency's July 25, 2012 supplemental request for information regarding the John Bill mine (a/k/a John Bully, John Bully Shaft, and John Billy). Thank you for your courtesy in agreeing to extend the deadline for this response until October 1, 2012, as confirmed in Mr. Ben Banipal's letter to Stacey Carter, dated August 28, 2012.

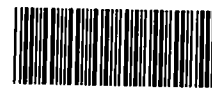
As the enclosed responses demonstrate, ConocoPhillips has been unable to locate any company records concerning the above-named Site, despite conducting a diligent search. Should there be a need for further correspondence regarding this Site, please direct it to Stacey Carter, HS&E Legal Specialist, ConocoPhillips Company, ML 1132, 600 N. Dairy Ashford; Houston, TX 77079.

Sincerely,

Terry S. Lauck

Cc: Ms. Stacey Carter, ConocoPhillips

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**CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY
RESPONSES TO JULY 25, 2012 EPA SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST FOR
INFORMATION**

**John Bully Superfund Site
McKinley County, New Mexico SSID No. A6BB**

The responses set forth herein are based on the present knowledge, information and belief of ConocoPhillips Company ("ConocoPhillips"). ConocoPhillips reserves the right to supplement these responses when and if appropriate. ConocoPhillips does not concede the relevancy of the responses, nor does it accept or adopt as accurate any statements or implications that may be drawn from the requests themselves. ConocoPhillips also reserves all objections to the form of the requests.

These responses are not and should not be taken as an admission or waiver of any kind to the jurisdiction, statutory authority, or regulatory authority of the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") for this information request or any further investigation or action.

QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES

For each mine listed below, answer questions 1 through 6.

Mine Name	Known Alias(es)
John Bill	John Bully, John Bully Shaft, John Billy

1. Identify and describe any portion of the mine or assets at the mine owned, operated, leased, or mined or explored by the Respondent, and the dates during which the mine was owned, operated, leased, mined, or explored, including areas where borings were taken and provide copies of all documents evidencing or relating to such ownership, operation, or lease, including but not limited to purchase and sale agreement, royalty payments, deeds, and leases including mining leases, and gravel and tailings leases.

Response

Despite a diligent search, ConocoPhillips has been unable to locate any information or documents in its files concerning a former mine or mine feature matching the name and/or aliases provided above.

2. Where not provided as a response to Question [1], above, provide information about each mine, including but not limited to the following:

a. Property boundaries, including a written legal description;

- b. A map identifying the property location;**
- c. Maps of the mine plans and boring hole locations;**
- d. Location and description of surface structures (e.g., protore, waste pile, retention ponds, buildings, housing, etc.);**
- e. Location and description of any ground water wells or sources of surface water used in mine operations;**
- f. Maps, drawings, aerial photographs of the property.**

Response

Please refer to the response to Question 1 above.

- 3. Describe the activities or operations which were conducted by you on the mine. Provide any and all documentation in your possession which describes the operations which occurred at that mine.**

Response

Please refer to the response to Question 1 above.

- 4. Provide any records on the dewatering of the mine that provide specific information on pump rates, pump station locations, pump sizes and changes in aquifer piezometric heads.**

Response

Please refer to the response to Question 1 above.

- 5. Describe what waste by-product(s) was produced during your operations. For each waste by-product identified by the Respondent, describe what you did with these waste by-products.**

- a. Specifically, also describe what you did with:**
 - i) Uranium protore or uneconomic material**
 - ii) Any listed or unlisted hazardous substances**
 - iii) Dewatering or surface water discharge**
- b. Provide all documentation which describes how waste by-product was stored, treated, disposed or deposited at the property.**
- c. For each waste by-product identified, provide a map identifying where on the property these wastes were stored, treated, disposed or deposited.**

Response

Please refer to the response to Question 1 above.

6. Identify and describe all reclamation or cleanup efforts made by the Respondent to address waste by-products and/or prevent potential releases of hazardous substances.

Response

Please refer to the response to Question 1 above.

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